

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Michael P. Girouard, M.D.

SERIAL NO.: 10/718,107

GROUP ART UNIT: 1609

FILED: 20 November 2003

EXAMINER: Chui, Mei Ping

FOR: MONOUNSATURATED FATTY ACIDS AND
PERHYDROCYCLOPENTANOPHENANTHRENE NUCLEUS COMBINATION
MOLECULES, AND THEIR PRECURSORS, AND THE USE OF ALL OF THESE
AS WEIGHT-LOSS AGENTS

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: P03155US (98554.1P3)

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RESPONSE

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated January 11, 2008. A shortened statutory period was set to expire three months from the date of the Office Action, making a response due by April 11, 2008. Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response for three months from April 11, 2008 to July 11, 2008. The \$525 extension fee is being charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0694.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows: